

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q68051

Tsuneo KAWAGUCHI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/031,330

Group Art Unit: 2834

Confirmation No.: 5811

Examiner: Judson Jones

Filed: January 18, 2002

For:

ELECTRIC DISCHARGE MACHINING APPARATUS USING LINEAR MOTOR

DRIVE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows: